

PLACEMAT WITH CONFORMAL, INTEGRAL DRINK COASTER

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5 Placemats include a major portion sized not substantially larger than necessary to accommodate a place setting, and include an integrally formed coaster extension sized, with any overlap to the major portion, to accommodate a beverage container. Undue use of available space by the placemat is therefore avoided while the underlying surface is protected from condensation or spillage from beverage containers. Thematic content conveyed by the shape and/or graphics of the major portion and coaster extension are consistent or complementary to provide a unified conceptual appearance.